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Sponsor(s)

by Natural Resources, Lawson Jr.

Summary

Joint Resolution Ad Valorem Taxes/Water Management; constitutional amendment re ad valorem taxes for water management purposes which provides uniform maximum millage rate for entire state by increasing millage rate from 0.05 mill to 1 mill for northwest portion of state lying west of line between ranges two & three east. Amends s. 9, Art. VII.

Actions		
Date	Chamber	Action
11/04/03	SENATE	Filed
11/14/03	SENATE	Referred to Natural Resources; Comprehensive Planning; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar
12/29/03	SENATE	On Committee agenda Natural Resources, 01/06/04, 9:00 am, 37-S
01/06/04	SENATE	CS by Natural Resources; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays
01/07/04	SENATE	Now in Comprehensive Planning
01/12/04	SENATE	On Committee agenda Comprehensive Planning, 01/20/04, 12:00 pm, 412-K
01/20/04	SENATE	Favorable by Comprehensive Planning; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays; Now in Finance and Taxation
01/26/04	SENATE	On Committee agenda Finance and Taxation, 02/05/04, 9:00 am, 37-S
02/05/04	SENATE	Favorable by Finance and Taxation; 5 Yeas, 0 Nays; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government

## Similar Bills

HB 0233 - Relating to Ad Valorem Taxes/NW Fla. Water Mgmt.

Bill Text and Filed Amendments		
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SENATE	Natural Resources	01/06/04	[View Vote]
SENATE	Comprehensive Planning	01/20/04	[View Vote]

## **Related Documents**

No related documents.

## Statute Citations

There are no statute citations.

SJR 488 Florida Senate - 2004 By Senator Lawson 6-180-04 Senate Joint Resolution No. \_ A joint resolution proposing an amendment to 2 Section 9 of Article VII of the State 3 Constitution, relating to ad valorem taxes for water management purposes, to standardize the 5 maximum millage rate for the entire state. 6 8 Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 9 That the following amendment to Section 9 of Article 11 VII of the State Constitution is agreed to and shall be 12 submitted to the electors of this state for approval or 13 rejection at the next general election or at an earlier 14 special election specifically authorized by law for that 15 purpose: 16 ARTICLE VII 17 FINANCE AND TAXATION 18 19 SECTION 9. Local taxes .--20 (a) Counties, school districts, and municipalities 21 22 shall, and special districts may, be authorized by law to levy 23 ad valorem taxes and may be authorized by general law to levy 24 other taxes, for their respective purposes, except ad valorem 25 taxes on intangible personal property and taxes prohibited by 26 this constitution. (b) Ad valorem taxes, exclusive of taxes levied for 27 28 the payment of bonds and taxes levied for periods not longer 29 than two years when authorized by vote of the electors who are

of the owners of freeholds therein not wholly exempt from	
31 taxation, shall not be levied in excess of the following	
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CODING: Words stricken are deletions; words <u>underlined</u> are addition Florida Senate - 2004 SJR 488 6-180-04	s.
1 millages upon the assessed value of real estate and tangible	
<pre>2 personal property: for all county purposes, ten mills; for all</pre>	
3 municipal purposes, ten mills; for all school purposes, ten	
4 mills; for water management purposes for the northwest portion	
5 of the state lying west of the line between ranges two and	
6 three east, 0.05 mill; for water management purposes for the	
7 romaining portions of the state, 1.0 mill; and for all other	
8 special districts a millage authorized by law approved by vote	
9 of the electors who are owners of freeholds therein not wholly	
10 exempt from taxation. A county furnishing municipal services	
11 may, to the extent authorized by law, levy additional taxes	
12 within the limits fixed for municipal purposes.	
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following statement be	
14 placed on the ballot:	
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16 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT	
17 ARTICLE VII, SECTION 9	
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19 LOCAL TAXESProposing an amendment to the State	
20 Constitution with regard to ad valorem taxes for water	
21 management purposes which provides a uniform maximum millage	
22 rate for the entire state by increasing the millage rate from	
23 0.05 mill to 1 mill for the northwest portion of the state	
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